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In Re Application of:

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Cromer, et al.

Serial No.: 09/282,893

Group Art Unit: 2682

Filed: March 31, 1999

Examiner: Moore, James K.

For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PROVIDING PROTECTION AGAINST
THEFT AND LOSS OF A PORTABLE COMPUTER SYSTEM

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated October 1, 2002, please enter the following remarks into the above-identified application:

REMARKS

In response to the above-identified Final Office Action, Claims 1-17 remain pending in the present application.

This application is under final rejection. Applicant has presented arguments hereinbelow that Applicant believes should render the claims allowable. In the event, however, that the

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